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PSC APPROVES AGREEMENT IN MISSOURI GAS ENERGY CASE

Jefferson City (March 9, 2004)---The Missouri Public Service Commission has approved an agreement which grants a certificate of public convenience and necessity to Missouri Gas Energy (MGE) to provide natural gas service in an area of Greene County. MGE filed an application with the Commission seeking authority to construct, own and operate a natural gas distribution system providing service to a new residential subdivision located in Willard, Missouri. MGE sought an extension of its current certificated area in Willard.

The agreement approved by the Commission was submitted by the PSC Staff, the Office of the Public Counsel, City Utilities of Springfield and Missouri Gas Energy. The agreement was reached as a result of negotiations conducted by the above parties.

The Commission approved the agreement noting that the proposed service area is both necessary and convenient for the public service.

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